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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 05725.1242-00

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Bertrand LION et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1642
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Application No.: 10/670,478	)	Examiner: T. Zalukaeva
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Filed: September 26, 2003	)	
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For: NOVEL BLOCK POLYMERS AND	)	Confirmation No.: 7403
COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS AND	)	
PROCESSES COMPRISING	)	
THEM	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In reply to the Office Action dated April 25, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.

**REMARKS**

In the Office Action, the Office requires restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 among the following six Groups:

Group I. Claims 1-35 and 72-89, drawn to a block copolymer, classified in class 525, subclass 135+,

Group II. Claims 36-71, drawn to another block copolymer, classified in class 526, subclass 307+,

Group III. Claims 90-92, drawn to a process for preparing a block copolymer, classified in class 526, subclass 89,